

**S. 2000, U.S.-Greece Defense and Interparliamentary Partnership Act of 2021**  
 As ordered reported by the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations on June 24, 2021

By Fiscal Year, Millions of Dollars	2021	2021-2026	2021-2031
Direct Spending (Outlays)	0	0	0
Revenues	0	0	0
Increase or Decrease (-) in the Deficit	0	0	0
Spending Subject to Appropriation (Outlays)	0	62	not estimated
Statutory pay-as-you-go procedures apply?	No	<b>Mandate Effects</b>	
Increases on-budget deficits in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2032?	No	Contains intergovernmental mandate?	No
		Contains private-sector mandate?	No

S. 2000 would authorize appropriations of \$134 million over the 2022-2026 period for defense-related assistance to Greece. Using historical spending rates for those programs, CBO estimates that implementing the bill would cost a total of \$62 million over that period, subject to appropriation of the specified amounts. The remainder would be spent after 2026.

The bill would authorize \$125 million (\$25 million each year) in assistance to Greece through the European Recapitalization Incentive Program, a Department of State program that supports the efforts of European partners and allies to adopt U.S. defense equipment and training while transitioning away from Russian (or Soviet legacy) military articles.

S. 2000 also would authorize \$9 million (\$1.8 million each year) for International Military Education and Training (IMET) assistance for Greece. IMET is a Department of State led program executed by the Department of Defense that seeks to improve military-to-military relations and defense cooperation.

Finally, the bill would require the Department of Defense to report annually to the Congress on Greece's defense needs and on transfers of excess military equipment from the United States to Greece. On the basis of information about the costs to prepare similar reports, CBO estimates that satisfying those requirements would cost less than \$500,000 over the 2021-2026 period. Such spending would be subject to the availability of appropriated funds.

The costs of the legislation, detailed in Table 1, fall within budget function 150 (international affairs).

**Table 1.  
Estimated Increases in Spending Subject to Appropriation Under S. 2000**

	By Fiscal Year, Millions of Dollars						2021-2026
	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	
European Recapitalization Incentive Program							
Authorization	0	25	25	25	25	25	125
Estimated Outlays	0	1	6	12	17	20	56
International Military Education and Training							
Authorization	0	2	2	2	2	2	9
Estimated Outlays	0	*	1	1	2	2	6
Total Changes							
Authorization	0	27	27	27	27	27	134
Estimated Outlays	0	1	7	13	19	22	62

Components may not sum to totals because of rounding; \* = between zero and \$500,000.

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